

How do students benefit by working as an Election Judge?

- Hands-on experience in how elections are conducted;
- Training on how to open a polling place, process voters, and close the polls;
- Inspiring them to register and vote when they reach 18 years of age;
- An increased appreciation for the democratic process;
- \$125 for working Election Day

What are the requirements to be a student Election Judge?

Students must:

- Be enrolled as a high school senior in good standing maintaining a grade point average of at least 3.0 on a 4.0 point scale;
- Obtain principal & parental approval;
- Successfully complete a two hour training session;
- Work on Election Day from 5:00 a.m. until all duties are completed after the close of the polling place.

Make a difference:



Important Dates

Last day to register to vote
for the March 16, 2004
Primary Election is:
Tuesday, February 17, 2004

Last day to register to vote for
the November 2, 2004
General Election is:
Tuesday, October 5, 2004



Your



Counts!!

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What are the duties of a McLean County Election Judge?

A McLean County Election Judge is responsible for the conduct of the election in the precinct to which he or she is assigned. Judges act as a panel and vote on questions of voter eligibility and other important matters in their precinct.

The judges are responsible for setting up and taking down the election equipment, conducting a fair and impartial election, and tallying and reporting the results at the end of the day.

Compensation

Each student will earn \$125 for working as a McLean County Election Judge. Students will receive a check in the mail at their home within a few weeks after the election.

Nomination Form

Complete this form and submit to your teacher by January 19, 2004
Your teacher must return this form to McLean County Clerk's Office
by January 26, 2004

Check one:

- ☐ I want to work as a Democratic Judge.
☐ I want to work as a Republican Judge.

(PLEASE PRINT)

NAME

ADDRESS

CITY

STATE

ZIP

HOME PHONE

OTHER

HIGH SCHOOL NAME

I nominate this student to participate in the "Judge It" Program. I certify that he/she is a High School senior in good standing with a Grade point average of at least 3.0 on a 4.0 point scale.

I understand that I must meet the following requirements to be eligible for this program:

- A U.S. citizen at the time of the election;
- A high school senior in good standing with a grade point average of at least 3.0 on a 4.0 point scale.
- Successfully complete a two hour training class.

PRINCIPAL SIGNATURE

DATE

STUDENT SIGNATURE

DATE

HIGH SCHOOL NAME

PARENT SIGNATURE

DATE